

5. The center for industrial research and service shall report to the general assembly annually on receipt and disbursement of funds and activities conducted by the hazardous waste technical research and assistance program pursuant to this section.

6. This section shall not be construed to do any of the following:

a. Relieve any person receiving assistance under this section of any duties or liabilities otherwise created or imposed upon the person by law.

b. Transfer to the state, Iowa state university of science and technology, or any employee of the state or the university, any duty or liability otherwise imposed by law on a person receiving assistance under this section.

c. Create any liability to the state, Iowa state university of science and technology, or any employee of the state or the university for any act or omission arising from the providing of assistance or advice in cleaning up, handling, or disposal of hazardous waste. However, an individual may be liable if the act or omission results from intentional wrongdoing or gross negligence.

Sec. 3. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect from and after its publication in the Ames Daily Tribune, a newspaper published in Ames, Iowa, and in The Sun, a newspaper published in Mount Vernon, Iowa.

Approved May 28, 1986

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, House File 2344, was published in the Ames Daily Tribune, Ames, Iowa, on June 3, 1986, and in The Sun, Mount Vernon, Iowa, on June 5, 1986.

MARY JANE ODELL, *Secretary of State*

## CHAPTER 1230

### PROPERTY TAX ASSESSMENT BOARD OF REVIEW

*H.F. 2481*

**AN ACT** relating to the size of a board of review for property tax assessments.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

Section 1. Section 441.31, Code 1985, is amended by adding the following new unnumbered paragraph:

**NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH.** Notwithstanding the previous paragraph, the conference board may increase the membership of the board of review by an additional two members if it determines that as a result of the large number of protests filed or estimated to be filed the board of review will be unable to timely resolve the protests with the existing number of members. These two additional emergency members shall be appointed for a term set by the conference board but not for longer than two years. The conference board may extend the terms of the emergency members if it makes a similar determination as required for the initial appointment.

Sec. 2. Section 441.32, Code 1985, is amended to read as follows:

441.32 **TERMS — VACANCIES.**

The terms of the members of the board of review ~~shall be~~ are for six years each except for the emergency members whose terms shall be set by the conference board for a period not to exceed two years. Members of this board may be removed by the conference board but only after a public hearing upon specified charges, if a hearing is requested by such the member. ~~Subsequent appointments~~ A subsequent appointment, and an appointment to fill a vacancy, shall be made in the same way as the original selection. The board ~~shall have the power to~~ may subpoena witnesses and administer oaths.

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